sessed upon the said proprietors in proportion to the number of Levy tex feet held by them, respectively, in front or length as aforesaid. on owners. and shall be recovered by the said mayor and city council, in like manner as taxes levied for paving public streets in the said city are recoverable.

A further Supplement to an Act, to erect Baltimore Town, in Baltimore County, into a City, and to incorporate the Inhabitants thereof.—1832, ch. 206.

WHEREAS, the mayor and city council of Baltimore, by a Preamble. resolution approved the fourteenth day of February, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, have declared it to be expedient to obtain an amendment to the charter of the city, so that the mayor may be immediately elected by the people without the intervention of electors; therefore,

SEC. 1. Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, Mayor to That at all future elections for the mayor of the city of Balti- be elected by the more, said officer shall be voted for immediately by the people, people. and not by electors as hitherto; any thing in any act to the contrary notwithstanding; and said election shall be conducted in the same manner as is provided for by the act to which this is a supplement, and the several acts which are supplementary thereto, so far as it is consistent with or applicable to an election, made in the manner herein provided.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That in case of a vacancy in the Case of mayoralty, the president of the first branch of the city council, vacancy. or if no president of the first branch, or in his absence from the city, that the president of the second branch shall immediately order a new election, giving at least twenty days notice of the New same by advertisement in all the daily newspapers in said city; election. and the said president of the first branch of the city council. shall be ex officio, mayor until a new election.

By 1835, ch. 311, in case of the sickness or absence of mayor, the president of first, or in his absence, the president of second branch shall exercise the powers and functions of mayor.

An Acr for Repaying of Streets, Lanes and Alleys, in the City of Baltimore.—1833. ch. 40.

SEC. 1. Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, Authority That from and after the passage of this act, the mayor and city granted to repaye, &c. council of Baltimore shall have full power and authority, to repave, and renew the curb stones, on any street, lane or alley, or any part of any street, lane or alley, in the city of Baltimore, whenever the owners of two-thirds of the property on such street, lane or alley, or any part of such street, lane or alley, shall make application in writing to the mayor, to have the same repayed, and the curb stones renewed; the expense of such repaving and renewal of curb stones, shall be paid in